

VERNON COUNTY SOLID WASTE/RECYCLING MEETING 2/18/08

The meeting was called to order by Chairman-Brian Richardson at 9:50 A.M. at the Recycling Facility.

Members present were Harry Baller, Ole Yttri and Brian Richardson. Also present were Don Hoff (Dairyland Power) and Gail Frie.

It was noted that the meeting had been properly advertised.

Motion by Yttri second by Baller to approve the minutes of the Solid Waste Management Committee meeting of January 15,2008 as mailed. Motion Carried.

No visitor comments were received.

Ayres Associates is using the construction documentation from our past landfill constructions to put together the 2008 bidding documents.

Gail has received forty letters from nearby residents requesting a public information meeting on the Dairyland Ash Landfill. Don Huff said that they are open to having a meeting in April after the soil testing is completed and would send an informational letter to all of the neighbors very soon.

We have 50 Clear Stream Recycling containers on order to meet the added interest created by the Viroqua Schools winning an environmental contest in the La Tribune.

Motion by Baller – second by Yttri to advertise the Commander Loader for sale on sealed bids. Motion carried.

Motion by Baller – second by Yttri to purchase three - six foot by sixteen foot roll off recycling dumpsters. Motion Carried.

Motion by Yttri – second by Baller to move forward with Ag Plastic Recycling. This will include all film plastics (silage bags/bunker covers/peat moss bags/super sacks/etc.) and rigid plastics (buckets & barrels up to 55 gal/landscaping pots & trays/fertilizer & pesticide containers/etc.). Motion carried.

Motion by Yttri – second by Baller to donate our waste oil collection barrel in Hillsboro to the City of Hillsboro as long as they upgrade it to meet State Code. This upgrade will cost approximately \$3,000.00. Motion carried.

We are planning a fall Hazardous Waste and Old Drug Collection. As always it will be the last weekend in September.

The next Solid Waste Management Committee meeting was set for March 18,2008 at 9:30 A.M. at the Recycling Facility.

The monthly vouchers were reviewed and signed. Motion by Yttri – second by Baller to approve these vouchers. Motion carried.

Motion by Baller – second by Yttri to adjourn. Motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 11:12 A.M.

Judy. Wilms